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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
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SERIAL NO: 10/019,313 :
FILED: JANUARY 9, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1754
FOR: METHOD FOR REMOVING :
MERCAPTANS FROM FLUID FLUXES

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2003, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Basis for the Amendments begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.